

HEALTH VERY POOR— RESTORED BY PERUNA

### Catarrh Twenty-five Years--Had a Bad Cough.

Miss Sophia Kittleson, Pynnston. Illinois, U. S. A., writes:
"I have been troubled with catarrh

for nearly twenty-five years, and have tried many cures for it, but obtained very little help.
"Then my brother advised me to try Peruna, and I did.

"My health was very poor at the time I began taking Perons. My throat was very sore and I had a had cough. "Peruna has cured me. The chronic catarrh is gone and my health is very much improved.
"I recommend Peruna to all my friends who are tembled as I was."

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Hard to Do Without Pockets. The most annoying thing in nav for a recruit is the absence of wide pockets in the uniform trouwers, J. R. Hose, a reoman at the navy recruiting station, said this morning

The average man doesn't realize how strong is the cristom of thrusting his hands in 1-25 trousers peckets until he done a pair without pockets. I've worn I frequently find myself trying to put my hands in my pockets." - Kansas City

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Disastrona Beartion.

"I was nafelly worred about Johans when he had that last wick spell," said Mrs. Lapsling, "and when the doctor told me he was going to get well I went fair-

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### JAPAN PREPARES TO HOLD GROUND

Makes Open Door a Farce and Fort'fles Herself in Manchuria.

Foreign Merchants Are Excluded and Clash With Powers Seems Sure Port Arthur is Being Strengthened Into Impregnable Fortress is a Second Gibraltar.

Scattle, Wash., May 30.—According to a special to the Times from Vancouver, B. C., Japan has completely received the "open door" policy in Manchurin. With the arrival of the American battle-hip fleet in the Pacific and the possibility of trouble with the inited States later on, Japanese states need States later on, Japanese states need are preparing for any emergency. Port Arthur, the former Rossian stronghold, is being made virtually im-pregnable, while the fortifications at Dalny, a scaport and railway terminus n the mainland, occupied by the Jap-ness, are being rushed to completion with feverish haste.

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A clash with the powers over a continuance of the discriminatory policy
new being carried out in favor of the
mikado's subjects is inevitable. If
Japan is compelled to back down, her
surrender will bring its advantages.
The Japanese are more curiously
annused than alarmed over the proposed
visit of the American fleet to the init of the American fleet to the

These are the conclusions reached by i. C. Druce during a recent extensive our through China, Japan and Corea-fe. Druce is ex Mayor of Oxford, Eng-and, and secretary of the Botanical So-iety of Great Britain. He is also curn-or of the berbarium of the University

While the official classes are re erved, the Japanese people are not the east perturbed over the dispatch of he American battleships to the Ori-st," Mr. Druce continued. "Of ourse, everybody in the East, except he diplomats, associates the demonstration of American naval power with the Manchurian trade question. The famous open door policy advocated by all the white races is in reality a mility."

#### FINE AND IMPRISONMENT.

Five Years in Penitentiary and Pay \$576,000, Ross' Sentence.

Salem, Or., May 30. J. Thorburn

Solem, Or., May 30.—J. Therburn, Ross, president of the defunct Title Guarastee & Trust Company, has been sentenced to serve five years in the state penitentiary and to pay a fine of \$676,852, and to serve one day in the Multoomah county juil for each \$2 of the fine not paid.

Sentence was imposed by Circuit Judge George H. Burnett, after the motion of Ross for arrest of judgment and for new trial had been overruled. Appeal has been taken to the supreme court, and Ross hus been admitted to bail in the sum of \$6000.

This is the penalty Ross must pay for the conversion of \$388,376 of state school funds deposited by State Treasurer Steel in the Title Guarantee & Trust Company Bank and paid out of the lank by its officers prior to the time the bank by its officers prior to the time the bank by its officers prior to the time the bank by its officers prior to the time the bank aloned last fall Ross was manager of the bank, and as such aided Steel in securing legislation which would enable the bank to get pomession of the state school funds without paying interest thereon. without paying interest thereon

#### FLOOD WASHES OUT DAM

Port Arthur, Ont., Loses Three Lives and \$500,000 Damage.

Toronto, Ont., May 30 A special Toronto, Out., May 30, rom Port Arthur today says the civic ower dam on Current riven burst yes over dam on disastrons flood. The ones of three lives and a money loss ex-imated at \$500,000 is reported. A amadian Pacific freight train pulling nto Port Arthur ran on the submerged racks and the engine was overturned. Engineer Savage, Fireman McBride and Brakeman Immann, who were on the en-gine, were pluned under the wreekage and drowned. The Canadian Pacific and drowned. The Canadian Pacific Ratiway Company will be the heaviest loser, several miles of its tracks having

en washed away.

The freshet was due to heavy rains,
he power house, the Canadian Pacific railway bridge and the pavilion at the park were swept away. A number of families living near the dam are miss-

#### Tornado in Kansas.

Topeku, Kun., May 30 .- A terrife kind storm of almost the proportions f a tornado, which passed over the outhern part of Lowell County Thurslay night, killed one man and injured 2 persons, seven of them probably fa-ally. The storm traveled from the outhwest and was 150 yards wide. It ook everything in the path and seat-tred a number of houses, barns and ounds of dollars, and the damage to the owing crop is large.

#### Islanders Fear Massacre.

Athens, May 30 .- Many men and event the situation there to be must ratical. It is feared that the Turkish' einforcements now on their way to the stand will start a general massacre, a proposal that the powers dispatch varships to Samos is being urged. The raticipality of Samos wists under the unrantes of Prance, Great Britain and

Epidemic of Suicide in Russia.

PROOF AGAINST SHELL.

Monitor Florida Stands Fire of Navy's Washington Farmers Ask Information Heaviest Guns.

Thimble Shoal, in Lower Chesapeake Thimble Shoal in Lower Chesapeake Bay, May 29.—Disregarding the danger and apparently anxious to experience open war at sea. Commander John C. Quimby: Lieutenant Taussig and 30 men on the monitor Florida remained on board her today while 12-inch shells were liurled at the great hulk from the great guns of the monitor Arkansas, anchored 300 yards off, with her broadside hattery in full play on the target ship.

When it was first planned to make the extraordinary test of the power of the wins in warfare, it was not dreamed of keeping any of the men aboard, but the plans for the test were changed suddenly today. Commander Quimby and his men eagerly volunteered to stay aboard their ship while she was submitted to the hammering of the hig projectiles. The imminent danger did not lessen their determination in the least.

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When the time came for the test, the Florida immediately steamed into her position. The Arkansas and her tender then anchored fore and aft off Thimble Shoal. 300 yards from the Florida with her broadside bearing upon the target ship. The Arkansas is in charge of Commander Harry M. Denhaugh, who with a detail of officers, took up his position on the bridge.

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The first shot was fired at a screen target raised above the main turret of the Florida and pierced the exact center without a moment's histiation, giving the men aboard the ship to understand they need not think any of the projectiles would go wild.

Then, according to the program, the Arkansas began firing heavily upon the Florida and the shells began hammering against the plates of the Florida, which stood under the bombardment without even showing signs of being crippled. As far as could be discerned from the use of the glasses the effect was not noticeable, but the jexperts on the Arkansas resorred that the shells were having terrific effect upon the were having terrific effect upon the lorida

Plorida.

During this bombardment the men aboard the Florida gave no signs of being displeased with their dare-devil experience, and gave no signal of dis-

After the main bombardment the Ar-After the main bombardment the Arkansas' guns were directed against the
hig experimental mast which had been
erected aft upon the Florida. It was
125 feet high and on it were two turrets, in which dummies had been placed
to show the effect on men in the fighting tops during an actual engagement.
Dummies also had been placed in the
main turret of the Florida to show the
effect of the impact of heavy shells
upon them.

upon them.

The big guns made quick impression upon the mast target, and if men had been in the place of the dummies they would not have lasted more than two

shots.

The "battle" will result in much valuable information which will be used by the experts of the navy in the planning of future men-o'-war. It has the double effect of showing the power of American guns when directed against armor plate as it is actually presented in a fight at sea, and the strength of the armor in withstanding the impact of the 12-inch projectiles in warfare.

#### NEW SCHEME UNEARTHED.

Orientals Die While Being Expressed Into This Country.

Washington, May 29.—Twelve Chi-tese lives was the price paid by daring imagglers to experiment with a new cheme for evasion of the immigration aws. The government has just dis-overed that a dozen Orientals who at-

covered that a dozen Orientals who attempted to gain entrance to this country by having themselves crated and shipped by express from El Paso to New York were dead upon arrival.

Acting Commissioner of Immigration Larned admitted today that a gigantic smuggling plot had been unearthed on the Texas border and that Chinese Inspector Babcock, one of the keenest sienths in the service, is now in New York on the trail of the arch-plotters. Quong Dou Yen received the corpses of his countrymen from the express company and will be arrested if trace of him can be found by the detective.

A telegram from Quong Dou Yen to his friends at El Paso revealed the plot. Official Interpreter Fing Ming overheard his countrymen at El Paso reading a message which informed them that the tealse read in the contractions. overheard his countrymen at El Pasoreading a message which informed them that the twelve men in the crates were dead upon arrival. Ming informed Inspectors George Harris and F. W. Berkshire of the plot and they reported it to the bureau here.

It is believed that the smugglers crated the men on the Mexican side of the line, hauled them across the river to El Paso, Texas, where they consigned them by express to New York.

#### Steamer Rams Schooner

Gloucester, Mass., May 29.-Thirteen lives Wednesday in a terrific collision ortween that boat and the steamer Boston of the Dominion-Atlantic line off the Massachusetts coast.

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The Fame was run down by the treamer with such suddenness that only use of the schooner's crew of 18 were saved. Four of them were put in a grant of the schooner's crew of and and the school of them were put in a grant of the school of them were put in a grant of the school of the sch saved. Four of them were put in a dory when the disaster occurred, and mall buildings over the prairie. The raperty damage will amount to thou of the Fame were on hoard. They were saved by the crew of the Bo

#### Unveil Memorial Monument.

Tokio, May 29 .- General Baron Nogi Athens, May from the Island of the official in the ceremonics incident Sames have reached Smyrna. They bep- to the unveiling of the Russian memorial monument erected by the Japanese people at Port Arthur, in memory of the famous siege of that city, and the gallant fighting done in its defense when those in the stronghold held out so bravely and with such determination against the attack which eventually proved successful.

#### Snow Storm in Montana.

Epidemic of Suicide in Russia.

St. Petersburg, May 30.—There has snowstorm Tuesday night impaired wire service and did great damage to trees. The precipitation during this menth is the heaviest of any May in 28 years.

ANSWERS TO INQUIRIES.

on Various Subjects.

From the Washington State College, Pullman. The experiment station has received a letter from J. A. B., of Everett, naking how to exterminate the Canadian thistle. Professor W. S. Thornber,

horticulturist, replied as follows "The Canadian thistle is a hard plant to fight, but by judicious cutting and cultivation you can eradi-cate it. The plant must be kept from forming a growth above the surface of the ground for at least one year in order that your efforts for its extermination may be successful. The plant spreads by underground stems, or roots, which are thrown up at distances of from three to six feet from the parent plant, so merely destroythe mother plant will not kill the weed. A good cutting during the month of June, followed by other cuttings in the latter part of July and on through August will check the thistle materially, and may destroy it entirely. It is generally quite difficult to eradicate the plant in pastures and fence corners, since a small residue will be left unde stroyed, which will grow durng the following year. There is no spray that will kill it. Sometimes it is helpful to cut the thistle off about three inches below the surface of the ground, which causes the root to rot by drying out. In cultivated fields it is advisable to rake out the underground stems, and allow them to dry thoroughly before plowing again.

Another letter from W. G. M., of Mabton, made inquiry concerning the culture of English walnuts in that region. Professor Thornber's reply

"The selection of proper varieties is very important, and up to the present time I have found only two varieties that are hardy enough to thrive well under the conditions of your locality. These two are the Fayette and the Mayette. They are not English walnuts, strictly speak ing, but are the same species, and are commonly spoken of as "Perbe impossible for you to grow in a commercial way grafted trees of these varieties, simply because the operation of grafting is so difficult that only a few are secured, and the price of grafting stock is very high. A better way is to secure good first or second generation trees from reliable nurserymen. Theses second generation trees are grown from nuts of first generation trees, usually in Oregon and California. From my personal experience, I should judge that you will succeed remarkably well if you secure good varieties. Almost any of our soils, if the seasons are not too severe, will grow sons are not too severe, will grow English wainuts, providing there is not a shale, or hardpan, nearer than three or four feet to the surface of the ground. I understand that we the ground. I understand that we are obliged to watch these conditions yory closely in this section. I do not recommend that English wainuts be sown in your region, you I believe by careful selection of varieties and of the orchard grounds that they will succeed in many places."

Another inquiry from Seattle relates to the culture of chestuuts. The correspondent was advised as fol-

lows:

"The American chestnut (the regular, tall-growing variety) should be prused the same as any other shade tree, leaving, however, a permanent, or constant leader, through the center of the tree. This is the practice of the Experiment Station, and one that is used upon all forms of the tall, or upright, growing trees. It is also used upon the sweet cherries, but not upon the sour ones.

"The tendency of this chestnut is to produce a thin, open top, and it is advisable to cut hack the outer limbs, and occasionally the leader, to thick-

and occasionally the leader, to thick-en the foliage. The lwarf, or Jap-anese, chesinuts abould be pruned to small, compact trees, branching them from a foot to three feet from the ground. They will practically take care of themselves after the first year or two of pruning. This pruning may be done at any time while the tree is dormant, or after the sap has ceased to flow, which will be immediately after it comes

A farmer residing near Centerville, desires to know the best method of raising peas, and the most desirable variety; also, with regard to autors of the schooler Fame lost their combining peas with cats. The Station supplied him with the following information:

"The experience of the Experi-ment Station staff, leads us to be-lieve that almost any of the com-mon field variety of peas will grow well in your region. We advise the well in your region. We advise the Black-Eyed Marrow Fat as the best Slack-Eyed Marrow Fat as the best general variety. Ordinarily we sow the peas at the rate of one to one and one-half bushels per acre, disk-ing or drilling them at least four inches deep. Sow the oats about a week after the peas are sown, as the latter grow so much stronger and consequently, the oats will be the latter grow so much stronger and consequently, the oats will be smothered our unless they are given the advantage. We do not consider the advantage. that cals and pess are as good for horses as for cows. The mixture makes very rich, nutritious hay."

#### Didn't Need Them.

Neighber-If your statement is true your clothesline was robbed by tramps. Judson-How do you make that out? Neighber Didn't you say they took everthing but the towels I-Illustrat-



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A Cinch.

"And how can you be sure of going to heaven?" asked the Sunday school

teacher. "I guess," said little Tommy Wise, "the best way would be to get pa to say we couldn't. Then ma would take us there or bust. That's how we got to the senshore last summer."-Philadelphia Press,

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The Gentry. "She's engaged, ain't she?" Inquired the haughty blonde at the ribbon coun

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Where's he employed at?" "He's a night watch gentleman over o Bargen & Co.'s."—Philadelphia

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rich, strong and healthy, the circulation has become infected with germs of disease which destroy the rich, red corpuscles that furnish nourishment and strength to the body, and reduced this vital fluid to such a weak, watery condition that it is no longer able to keep the system in health, or ward off the countless diseases and disorders that assail it. The loss of these red corpuscles takes the color and glow of health from the cheek, and we see pale, sallow faces and washed out, chalky complexions among the first see pale, sallow faces and washed out, chalky complexions among the first symptoms of Malaria. But Malaria is a general systemic disease, and as the blood becomes more heavily loaded with its germs we have more serious and complicated symptoms; the impure blood having its effect on all parts of the body. The appetite fails, digestion is weakened, chills and slight lever are frequent, and the sufferer loses energy and ambition because of a constant tired-out and "no account" feeling. The lack of necessary nour-isament and healthful qualities in the blood causes boils and abscesses, skin affections, and in some cases.

skin affections, and in some cases sores and ulcers to break out, and sometimes the patient is prostrated with a spell of malarial fever which may leave his health permanently impaired. To cure Malaria both a blood purifier and tonic are necessary, in order to remove the cause and at the same time build up the system from its weakened and run-down condition. S. S. S. is the medicine best fitted for this work. It is the most perfect of all blood purifiers, and the purely vegetable ingredients of which it is composed make it the

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